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SF Regional DDs,

Please find attached the Superfund Redevelopment Regional Seed quarterly report, which highlights progress made supporting reuse activities at sites across the nation where we have awarded *regional seeds*. Regional seeds are in-kind services, given to communities at the request of the Region or used to help Regional staff with a reuse-related tasks, that are

designed to spur the process of returning a Superfund site to productive reuse. The seed concept provides an initial investment to bring the right stakeholders to the table, clarify remedy constraints, and outline suitable reuse options for the local community to pursue. These efforts play an important role in establishing reasonable expectations about future use, selecting and implementing remedies that are protective of human health, involving communities in the cleanup process, successfully implementing institutional controls, finding stewards who can aid in long-term maintenance, and providing new opportunities for communities.

OSRTI has provided two new reuse planning regional seeds in FY 2012 (2-3 additional later this FY) and continues to provide support for three additional regional seeds awarded in 2011. This report highlights recent progress on these regional seed sites, including community-led coalitions to promote reuse and other milestones, such as reuse assessments. We hope to work with the Regions to identify additional sites that could benefit from these activities over the coming months.

Some of you had raised questions in our FY 12 budget discussion regarding OSRTI's spending on redevelopment. I wanted you to be aware of some of the activities that we fund related to reuse. We are excited to share these updates with you. If you have any questions, or would like additional information, please don't hesitate to contact:

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We expect the next report to be coming out in the July timeframe.

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